

Reception To Be Tendered To Col. Franklin A. Denison, In Honor and in Recognition of the Splendid Over Seas Service which He So Recently Rendered His Country as Commander of the "Old 8th Regiment" of Illinois or the 370th U. S. Infantry



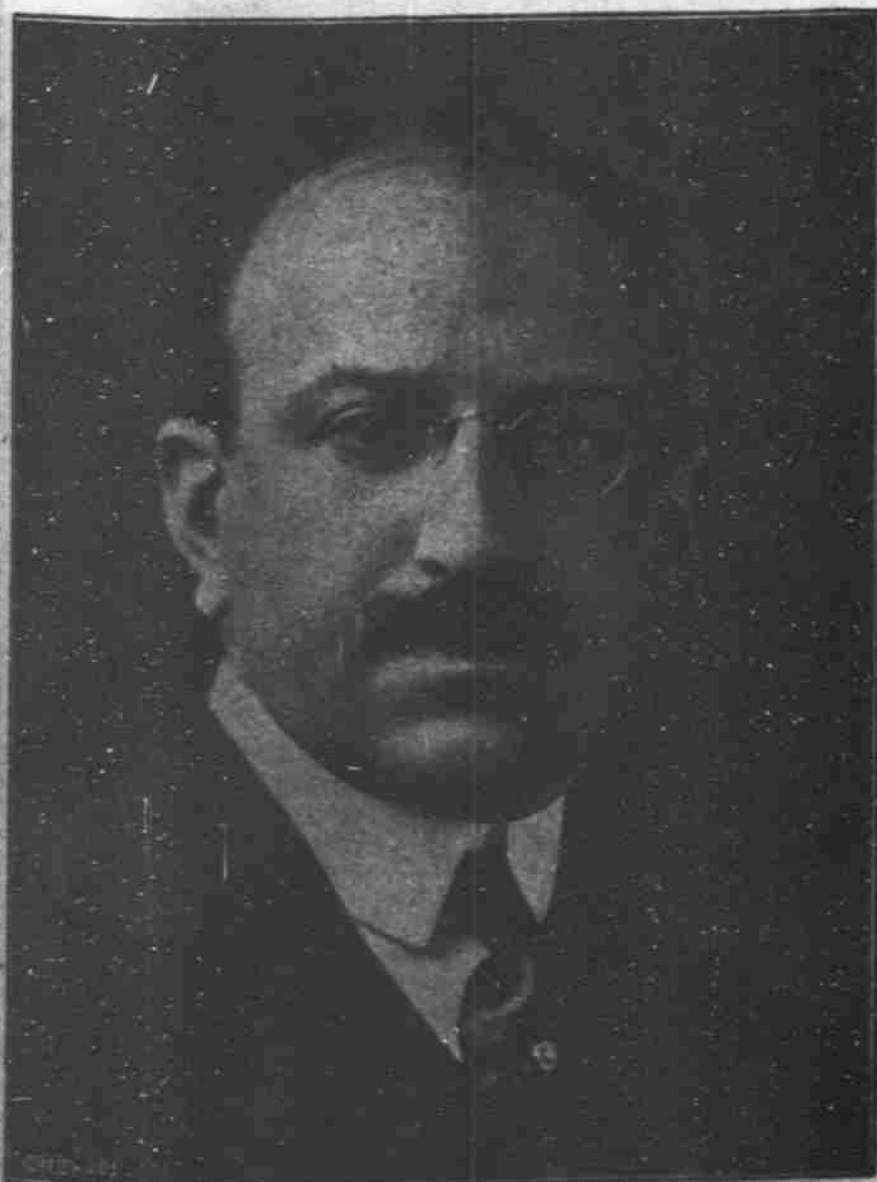
HON. THOMAS F. SCULLY

Judge of the County Court, and Chairman of the Citizens Committee of one hundred, which will tender a public reception and testimonial to Col. Franklin A. Denison.

RICH WHITE WOMAN STANDS BY COLORED LOVER

Detained in a Boston institution is Miss Mabel Emmeline Puffer, a wealthy white woman, who is to be tried by a jury to determine whether she is mentally responsible for her actions, because she is insanely in

love with Arthur Hazard, a Colored man, and swears that she will marry him at the first opportunity. Miss Puffer still wears the \$50 opal engagement ring which was given her by her Colored lover. Wm. H. Lewis, the Colored lawyer of Boston, former U. S. assistant attorney general, has been engaged to defend the couple.



HON. HENRY HORNER

Judge of the Probate Court of Cook County and Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Citizens Committee of one hundred, which will give a public reception in honor of Col. Franklin A. Denison.

THE AFFAIR WILL BE HELD THE LATTER PART OF SEPTEMBER, EITHER IN THE ORCHESTRA HALL, OR IN THE AUDITORIUM THEATRE AT WHICH TIME COL. DENISON WILL BE PRESENTED WITH A FINE OR BEAUTIFUL CHEST OR CASKET OF SILVER AS A TESTIMONIAL FROM THE CITIZENS OF CHICAGO.

HON. THOMAS F. SCULLY, JUDGE OF THE COUNTY COURT, ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF THE CITIZENS COMMITTEE WHICH WILL CONSIST OF ONE HUNDRED PROMINENT WHITE AND COLORED CITIZENS.

HON. GEORGE F. HARDING, JR., CITY COMPTROLLER OF CHICAGO, ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON ARRANGEMENTS WHICH WILL HAVE ENTIRE CHARGE OF ALL THE DETAILS IN CONNECTION WITH THE AFFAIR.

HON. HENRY HORNER, JUDGE OF THE PROBATE COURT OF COOK COUNTY, CHOSEN CHAIRMAN OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

MR. DAVID M. MANSON, SELECTED AS SECRETARY FOR BOTH COMMITTEES, JULIUS F. TAYLOR ACTIVE MEMBER OF THE CITIZENS COMMITTEE AND THE COMMITTEE ON ARRANGEMENTS.

GEN. LEONARD WOOD, GOV. FRANK O. LOWDEN, MAYOR WILLIAM HALE THOMPSON WILL BE AMONG THE SPEAKERS; ONE OR TWO PROMINENT OUTSIDE COLORED SPEAKERS WILL BE PRESENT AND ORATE ON THAT AUSPICIOUS OCCASION.

Some of the many warm friends of Col. Franklin A. Denison who greatly admire him for his many manly qualities have felt right along that in all fairness that he was justly entitled to receive some consideration and recognition from the citizens of Chicago in the way of a public reception and a testimonial for the splendid overseas services which he so unselfishly rendered to his country as commander of the "Old Eighth Regiment of Illinois" or the 370th U. S. Infantry, on the battlefields of France, for it will be recalled that the commanders of the French army were so well pleased with the military achievements of Col. Denison that they changed the name of St. Mihiel sector to Denison sector in honor of him; that he had his men trained so well in all of the latest military tactics that they were able and ready to rush into battle on the firing line or to serve in the trenches 3 to 4 months ahead of the other American soldiers in France, it was for being able to accomplish some of these things before he was stricken down with illness on the French battlefields and ordered home that many of his white and Colored fellow citizens feel deep down in their hearts of hearts that at least a little honor is due him.

With this object in view and no politics in it the following friends of Col. Denison who know his worth as a loyal and patriotic American citizen, met Monday afternoon in the chambers of Hon. Thomas F. Scully, the ever popular and liberal minded Judge of the County Court; and after short talks all around it was decided to tender a public reception to Col. Denison and at the same time present him with a fine or a beautiful chest or casket of silver as an evidence of the high esteem he is held in by the citizens of Chicago, regardless of race, color or politics.

The affair will be held the latter

part of September, at either Orchestra Hall, or the Auditorium Theatre, everything in connection with it will be free, which will enable the very best class of white citizens both men and women to be held at close range the very best class of Colored men and women of Chicago.

The following gentlemen were present at the meeting: Hon. Thomas F. Scully, Hon. Harry Olson, Chief Justice of the Municipal Courts, Major Allen A. Wesley, Hon. John G. Drennan, District Attorney for the Illinois Central Railroad, Hon. S. A. T. Watkins, Hon. Robert McMurdy, Hon. Dennis J. Egan, Chief Bailiff of the Municipal Court; Mr. Robert L. Taylor, Hon. Henry Horner, Judge of the Probate Court; Dr. Charles E. Bentley, Hon. George F. Harding, Jr.; City Comptroller of Chicago; Mr. David M. Manson, Hon. Howard W. Hayes, Associate Justice of the Municipal Court; Mr. Julius F. Taylor and Dr. J. Frank Armstrong.

Hon. Thomas F. Scully was elected chairman of the citizens committee which will consist of one hundred prominent white and Colored citizens, chairman Scully selected the following who will compose the committee on arrangements who will have entire charge of working out all of the details in connection with the history-making event: Hon. Robert McMurdy, Hon. John G. Drennan, Robert L. Taylor, Hon. Henry Horner, David M. Manson, Hon. George F. Harding and Julius F. Taylor. Mr. Harding was elected chairman of the committee on arrangements and Mr. Manson was chosen secretary of both committees and Hon. Henry Horner was elected chairman of the Finance Committee, and without any question about it he is the right gentleman in the right place.

General Leonard Wood, Governor Frank O. Lowden and Mayor William Hale Thompson will be among the prominent speakers.



HON. GEORGE FRANKLIN HARDING, JR.

City Comptroller of Chicago and chairman of the committee on arrangements, which will tender a public reception to Col. Franklin A. Denison and present him a testimonial, in behalf of the citizens of Chicago.

MAYOR'S CALL FOR TROOPS TO STOP RIOT

July 30, 1919.

Brig. Gen. Frank S. Dickson,
Commanding the Militia,
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir: In consonance with your direction by the governor of Illinois to report as in command of the military forces now mobilized in Chicago for the protection of life and property and the preservation of law and order, I now request that such of this force as may be deemed necessary be called out and moved immediately into affected territory within the city of Chicago where public disorder exists.

You are requested to assist the

general superintendent of police in suppressing riots or any other disorderly conduct and to carry into effect the ordinances of this city and laws of this state respecting the protection of life and property and the preservation of law and order.

Yours respectfully,
WILLIAM HALE THOMPSON,
Mayor.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Wensett are the house guests of their sisters Madam M. C. Byron and Miss Nellie Callaway, 3300 Rhodes avenue.

Chicago, has always believed, in doing every thing on a large scale; so it jumped in and beat the entire civilized world in mobbing and lynching human beings.



HON. HOWARD W. HAYES

Associate Justice of the Municipal Court; member of the Citizens Committee, which will tender a public reception to Col. Franklin A. Denison, who will in the near future, be united in marriage, to Miss Harriet Barton Haney, the beautiful and highly accomplished daughter of former Judge Elbridge Haney, 3116 Michigan Avenue.